## LA KINGS CELEBRATE SECOND STANLEY CUP WIN WITH VICTORY PARADE By Kimberli Washington, Public Information Office



Thousands of fans gathered downtown to celebrate the 2014 Stanley Cup Champions, the LA Kings, during a victory parade on Monday, June 16, 2014. The Kings defeated the New York Rangers on Friday, June 13, in double overtime, winning the Stanley Cup title for the second time in three years.



Some fans wore vintage purple and gold jerseys, while others sported signature black, purple, silver and white team memorabilia. The crowd filled the parade route starting from Figueroa and 5<sup>th</sup> street all the way to the Staples Center. The crowd cheered "Go Kings Go!" as the double-decker buses carried the Stanley Cup, LA Kings players and

their families, coaches, staff, the mascot Bailey and others associated with the organization along the parade route.



A rally was held at the Staples Center at the end of the parade route—it was a sold out, ticketed event that featured speeches from some of the players and video highlights from the season.

